## **Questionnaire for Prospective Students with Disabilities**

**Definition of Disability:** The University defines disability in its broadest sense and this includes Specific Learning Difficulties (SpLD 's such as Dyslexia /Dyspraxia and Dyscalculia) Autism/ Asperger's/ Mental health conditions /(such as anxiety /bi-polar /eating disorders ) Sensory and physical impairments and medical conditions such as epilepsy / diabetes cancer and many others.

If you are interested in studying with the University of Cumbria, and have any questions or specific needs in the recruitment process, please complete this short questionnaire to let us know. Please ensure that you have read the information on our web page and your course information.

Please note if you are successfully in receiving an offer and confirm University of Cumbria as your first choice the service contacts all students from the end of May onwards to work with you to prepare for your arrival.

If you are taking a course leading to a professional qualification, please read information carefully on the web site, follow the links to your professional body competencies, as all students will need to meet professional competencies for their chosen course. If you have any concerns about these, please use this form to contact us to discuss these.

Details about you and your course			
Name			
Contact Email			
Course who intend to apply for			
Year in which you intend to start			
Level and mode of study (Please delete as required)	Higher Level Apprenticeship Foundation Degree Undergraduate Postgraduate PHD	Full Time Part Time Open Learning	
Campus			
Please state briefly the nature of your disability			
I intend to apply for Disabled Students Allowance	Yes / No Please indicate which funding body will be paying your course fees		

The team look forward to hearing from you and working with you to support your application.

Details about the support about you need during the recruitment process such as attending out student recruitment events.			
<b>_</b>	Support Required	Date of attendance	
Open Days/ events			
Interview Days			
Applicant Days:			
If you complete any of the areas above, we will contact you by email to confirm arrangements. Extra time for any test such as literacy tests for teaching will be available on the day and you do not need to contact us but bring evidence such as GP letter or educational psychologist assessments.			
Other support or information you require.			
I would like to discuss my support requirements before submitting my application	Yes / No	Please state any specific questions?	
I have complex needs and would like to discuss my support requirements in relation to my course.	Yes/ No	Please state any specific questions?	
I have specific questions about meeting professional competencies and or the occupational health process in relation to my course	Yes/ No	Please state any specific questions?	
<ul> <li>For guidance examples of complex needs are as follow:</li> <li>Where you have multiple disabilities or you disability has a substantial impact on your ability to access teaching and learning</li> <li>Where you may need personal care to attend your course</li> <li>Where you disability means that you will need specific support needs for participating in placements that are a core part of your course</li> </ul>			
Other questions/ comments			
Please note the specialist adviser may need to discuss your individual questions and or needs with a member of the academic team. Please sign below if you are happy to do this before we meet you.			
Signature			